

## ABSTRACT

5 A clip (10) for holding banknotes has a first clasp portion (14) and a second  
clasp portion (12) for holding banknotes therebetween. The first clasp  
portion (14) has a first magnetic portion (22) including magnetic material  
(30,32) and the second clasp portion has a second magnetic portion including  
magnetic material (18,19). The first magnetic portion (22) is moveable  
relative to the second magnetic portion between: a closed position whereby  
the interaction of the magnetic material of the first magnetic portion (30,32)  
10 and second magnetic portion (18,19) is such that there is a net force of  
attraction to hold the first and second clasp portions (14,12) together; and an  
open position whereby the first and second clasp portions (14,12) are  
released apart.

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